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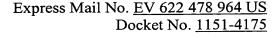
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This paper is submitted in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed February 4, 2005 in connection with the above-identified application. Entry and consideration of the amendment is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.